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- 16. (canceled)
- 17. (currently amended) The method of claim 14 [[16]], wherein the patch and upgrade service is configured to obtain confirmation input from an operator of the client server through a user interface displayed at the client server.
- 18. (currently amended) The method of claim 14 [[16]], wherein the patch and upgrade service is configured to automatically reboot portions of the client network affected by the installation of the selected patch or upgrade.
- 19. (currently amended) The method of claim 14 [[16]], further including removing the transferred patch-and-upgrade proxy from the client server after completion of the performance of the patch and upgrade service at the client serve-

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